

Automation using Python

Automation is consider as process which executes certain task without any human interaction.

By using the automation technique we can automate multiple tasks as

- Moving , renaming or deleting files
- Downloading multiple files
- Updating and searching in files
- Sending and receiving mails
- Schedule task through the process

We can perform this kind of Automations by using Python.

We are going to follow some rules while writing Automation Scripts as

- Accept input through command line or through file.
- Display any message in log file instead of console.
- For separate task define separate function.
- For robustness handle every expected exception.
- Perform validations before taking any action.
- Create user defined modules to store the functionality.

Consider below template of Automation Script

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1 from sys import *
2
3 def fun(Parameter):
4     # Logic of script
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6 def main():
7     print("---- Marvellous Infosystems by Piyush Khairnar-----")
8     print("Application name : " +argv[0])
9
10    if (len(argv)!= 3):
11        print("Error : Invalid number of Arguments")
12        exit()
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14    if argv[1] == "-h":
15        print("This Script is designed for _____")
16        exit()
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18    if argv[1] == "-u":
19        print("Usage : Appilcation_Name _____")
20        exit()
21
22    try:
23        fun(argv[1])
24
25    except Exception as E:
26        print("Error : Invalid input"+E)
27
28    if ((len(argv) < 1) or (len(argv) > 3)):
29        print("Error : Invalid number of arguments")
30
31 if __name__ == "__main__":
32     main()
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